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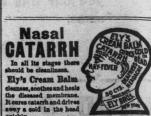
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GEO. H, HOLLIS,
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same before me, Geo. H, Hollis, a Justice of
the Peace for New Castle County and State of
telaware, Robert S. Baird, and James C. Mochown to me personally to be use of the feater,
illy acknowledged that they signed and
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GIVEN under my hand and seal the day
and year la t aforesaid.

GEO. H. HOLLIS, (Seal.)

Justice of the Peace.

## NOW LOOK OUT!

"Take care of yourself," say our friends.
"I'll try to," we answer. We do take a little care, yet in spite of warm clothes, rubbers and mackintoshes, an army of people were howled out by pneumonia and other lung and chest diseases last winter. They saught cold, neglected it, let it fix upon them, were torn by coughs, choked by inflammations and congestions, wasted by fever, tired out by pain and then gave up the fight. The hour you realize that you have a cold on the chest, place a Benson's Porous Plaster where the pain or oppression is felt. If you think two are needed make it two. No harm if you were covered with them. They act quickly and prevent the engorgment of blood in the organs. In this way—with ordinary cantion as to exposure—you will break up the celd and avoid a serious stokness. Ne other applications, or any other form of treatment, will accomplish this as certainly





#### CHINCOTEAGUE GOOSE FARM

Just North of Virginia's fairest county ccomac-nestled in the calm broad rater, protected from the wild waves of Watson, president. the Atlantic Ocean and almost within sight of the sandy shores of Maryland, ies the Island of Chincoteague. Insig-nificant it seems when viewed from the map, but the little island, seven miles in length and only one and a half in width, nd happy as any people on this broad

is queen of islands, and have marvelled at its glories. The sunniest hills of Italy cannot surpass in beauty its sandy shores when painted in the colors of the morn-

place one must walk upon the beach jest as the sun casts its first rays across the eat water and watch the fishermen as they bid farewell to their wives and children. Behold them as they embark in their canoes and hoist up the great white ails; watch the wind bear them across the main and they disappear beyond the horizon. Next let the eye return to the rows of silent cottages. In each door tangs a white form waving a handker chief in adieu. Then the spell is broken and the day's work begins. And as the sun sinks on the other side the multitude of white sails again appear across the blue space, and we witness the happy return of the laden boats.

Nowhere are epicures happier than or and the fattest of ovsters and clams are ace. Likewise are wild fowl of every

Thousands have journeyed here to wit ess the penning of the famous Chinco teague pony-one of the most novel and The Chincoteague pony may be surpassed in beauty, but in speed and spirit he out ranks all others. All the year round he and romps over the wild marches until June, when the annual penning take place. Then comes the sport of horse back riders who chase the wild little animals all over the beach until the last one is driven into the inclosure. When gotten in the pen they are counted and the ployes, were severely scalded. owners select the ones they wish to offer

The only wild goose farm in the world is situated on this island. The industry of raising wild fowl to ship to Northern markets was begun several years ago by Capt. Joshua W. Whealton, one of the est wealthy men in this section. He first began on a small scale and increased his enterprise from year to year, until now he has 200 acres of land and ships annually 500 fowl. These besides wild geese, his specialty, include brant, Jap anese ducks, and all kinds of wild birds Capt. Whealton has made this industry paying one, and derives a handsome in some annually from his shipments. The geese are shipped alive upon special orders and bring \$5 a pair.

About a year ago Capt. Whealton pur chased at an enormous figure from the Central Park, New York, a pair of white swans and proposes to give great care to the raising of this bird. He is well satisfied with the progress he has made up to this time, and is confident that in a few years he will produce a large number these magnificent hirds and expects to derive from them a large revenue.

Capt. Whealton's residence is one of building is very large and is built somewhat in the style of the old colonial mansions. The Whealton family is an old one, and the name has long been asso ciated with the prosperity of the island -Louis N. Wheal-The captain has a son practice of law in New York City, and is regarded by many as one of the most ising young lawyers at that bar.

It is a magnificent sight to see the hundreds of birds as they proudly walk over the large marsh fields. The right wing of each bird is kept closely cut so that they are unable to fly. They are free to wander to and fro, from water's edge to water's edge and gather their living along the shores. It is never necessary to feed them except when they are counted. Then corn is used to assemble them toditched, and mounds with nests on the top and shaded with bushes have been built for the deposit of their eggs. These eggs are collected and saved until April, when they are set. The setting takes about four weeks before the eags are hatched, One peculiar feature of this bird is that they mate, and each pair or is that they mate, and each pair goes strictly separate from the others. When the hatching is in process the gan-der sits by the nest continually (except when in search of food) and carefully guards his mate. When the mother starts out for her daily meal he takes his place upon the nest, and he is ever on the watch for some enemy. The birds are powerful and can strike a hard blow

In May they come off their nests fol-lowed by a happy flock of little goslings. The pride of the old bird is amusing, and their mirth is expressed in loud yells that are heard from one side of the island to the other. Although the pairs are never separated and live strictly to themselves, they do not scatter widely, but keep almost together in a general flock. They are quick to resent any interference, and are apt to make it unpleasant for any one who walks in their midst. Capt. Whealton has but one suit of clothes in which he can go among them. They recognize their master in this particular suit, which he always wears about the farm.

Great precaution is taken to prevent the birds from being stolen. The proprietor of the farm has agents that are always on the watch for any would-bethat are heard from one side of the island

#### BRIEF NOTES OF INTEREST

The East Side Republican Association

Rev. P. J. McKeever, of Wayne, Pa Calvary Baptist Church, Wilmington. The Magee family on West Twenty Wilmington, who have

Wilmington City Railway Company, was

As a result of the envelope ons of school children, Wilmington's McKinley swelled by \$500. Willis Blackburn, a farmer of Rose

Hill, has been taken to the Presbyterian Hospital Philadelphia, to be treated for peculiar pains in his left arm. John M. Manlove, of Bridgeville, fell Tuesday on a slippery pavement and broke his hip. He is 76 years of age and

the fall may result in his death. ossing railroad tracks in Wilmington, nesday, was struck by a train and Joseph Ritzman was probably fatally hurt.

endent of hulls and dock construction of the Harlan & Hollingsworth Company, and is succeeded by Thomas Benson The State Board of Health has notifie

physicians that the laboratory at Newark will not be allowed to make analyses which physicians themselves can make The Wilmington Methodist Episcopal reachers' Association Monday adopted

solutions approving the Law and Ord

Society's raids of disorderly houses in Rev. W. L. S. Murray will be invited to return as pastor of St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church Wilmington, for the

venth consecutive year. factory of the Wilmington Candy Company, on Market street, Monday, Julius Schliesser and Elias Butler, two em

William A. Pratt, for some years it ructor of engineering at Delaware Col lege, will leave on Monday to take on with the Baltime Railroad Company in New York.

Rev. F. B. Short, pastor of Epwor Methodist Episcopal Church, Wilming Young Men's Christian Association, and

Presiding Elder Robert Watt and Rev

W. L. S. Murray, of St. Paul's Methodis Episcopal Church, Wilmington, called upon Captain of Police George Black and support in his efforts to rid the city of vice and gamblers. Adjutant General Corbin sent to Con ing the strength of the National Guards of the various States. According to the

nt there are 29 commissioned offiavailable for military duty in Delaware Charlie Welsh, a youth attending school near Bivalve, failed to return home Friday night and a searching was started. His frozen hode was found in a snow drift. The youth's brother was thrown from a horse and

## fatally injured at the same place seven HICKS FOR FEBRUARY

Following are the predictions of Hicks the weather prophet, for February While we are passing from January progress. February 1st and 2d are reactionary storm tionary storm periods. On touching these dates look for a rise in temperature winds becoming southerly with falling barometer, all followed by wide areas of over the country.

ing the 5th to 10th, the general cold pre vailing will gradually become warmer The barometer will fall the same way that is beginning in the western extremes and moving eastward, the wind will change and blow from southerly and easterly directions. Storms on the 18th or tropical influences. Lightning and thunder especially southward, will be especially southward, will be natural. A storm period will be brewing as February goes out, the crises of which will fall in March.

are those suffering from Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint. More than seventy five per cent. of the people in the United with large wings. When they are set-ting they are especially victous and it is stourting danger to interfere with them in tiveness, Palpitation of the Heart, Heart. tiveness, Palpitation of the Heart, Heart, hurn, Water-brash, Gnawing and Burning Pains at the Pit of the Stomach, Yellow Skin, Coated Tongue and Dis-agreeable Taste in the Mouth, Coming up of Food after Eating, Low Spirits, etc. Go to your Druggist and get a bottle of August Flower for 75 cents. Two doses will relieve you. Try it. For sale by J. S. & W. Lattomus, Townsend, Del. Get Green's Prize Almanac.

shirt making business at Denton, Md., has couluded negotiations with the own-ers of the steam laundry in Lewes, and will operate a shirt factory in connection will operate a shirf factory in connection lid-be-riss on of 'Denton, will be in charge of the stock of 'Denton, will be in charge of the stock operate about one hundred sewing malandry business. Mr. Nichols hopes to operate about one hundred sewing machines. The building of the laundry chines. The building of the laundry business, New Osselle, \$78.52; Red Lion, \$24.12; St. shaving a large unoccupied second story where the machinery can be placed.

Rettew for the month of January: Willington hundred, 1898, \$2,509; 1900, \$1,436; capitation tax, from planted, and planted to the stock of the stock o

## STATE AND MARYLAND NEWS DELAWARE GRANGE LECTURER

At the meeting of the Levy Court Tues You Phon Lee, the Chinaman and day morning, Mr. Ewart, of the Fourth Yale graduate, who is a successful far district, revived the return of the Adams money by offering the following resolumer in Sussex County near Lincoln, has ers of the State, because of his learning Whereas. The taxes collected under what is known as the Adams tax law tical farming, that they have elected him have been duly paid into the county Yon Phon Lee came to Delaware in 1900, after having Castle County, except the two districts in Wilmington hundred; and obtained first a common school education in this country and then entering Yale Whereas, The said law having bee courses. He had already made a thor Court of this State; therefore be it, ough study of Chinese farming from the Resolved by the Levy Court, That he several amounts paid to the collectors under said law in all of the hundreds of this county outside Wilmington hun-dred be refunded to the respective parties

culture of cereals in the north of China o fruit growing of the centre and rice cultivation through the south. Coming to this country he was a close observer here, while he struggled for an educatio and the higher things of life. Looking around for a profitable place to begin business with his small capital, but wide who have paid the same, and the said their receipts for taxes so paid to the County Comptroller in order that said and ripened knowledge, Mr. Lee finally eceipts may be compared with the coldecided upon locating on the Delaware lectors' list. The correct amounts being peninsula. It afforded a versatile soi scertained, the proper officers of this body are hereby authorized to draw, with excellent epportunity for experimenting, while it yielded its famous fruits, wheat, corn, asparagus and toma ably housed on his 80-acre farm just out

#### would not be fair to pay those in the rural districts while those who had paid the tax in Wilmington should receiv

parties are hereby notified to prese

ign and deliver warrants to the respec-

Mr. Chandler said that he was not

Collectors from the rural districts have

nade a return of \$14,826.61 to the Levy

said it is the proper thing to do. Mr. Armstrong also said it would be well to

nake a beginning, and he was in favor

Mr. Chandler again made strenue

Led by a wild-looking darky "voodo

'spells' on colored folks of Wilmingt

handled during the disturban

isoners are now confined in dark cell

The trouble was the outcome of di

not too many beans in it, meats at times,

molasses and other similar articles in no

INNOCENT MAN GOES TO JAIL

Emory Scotten, a prominent citizen

might be secured upon a defective law recently passed by the Delaware Legisla-

new law holding any person liable to

mprisonment if he spirits away or ecretes goods held under attachment.

Magistrate Hutton was obliged to commi Scotten to jail, in default of ball, which

property had been attached, offered some of the goods that had been levied upon

It turned out that three vehicles which

Mr. Sootten purchased at the sale had

been previously levied upon by Mrs

Mary A. Fluharty, on a claim against

Judge Pennewill, of the Suprem

Court, had Scotten brought before him

in hebeas corpus proceedings, and re-leased him on the ground that the new

achment cases, and not to innocen

Condemnation of Property Senator Moses has introduced a bill in

the Maryland Senate changing the entire

provides in brief that the right to con

That being decided, the Court appoin

Court of Appeals. Unless the condemn tion is abandoned be the corporation

nation shall be a judgement against t

ned. The appraisers are to port to the court and their report is to be acted upon after a trial either before the

He is charged with violating the

Dover, Monday suffered commitment prison in order that a judicial opini

14 negro convicts revolted in the New

tive parties entitled, for the amount

Guy Shockley and David Hill, of Bridgeville, were scared almost out of their wits shortly after 10 o'clock Satur-Court, and in speaking of it President Willits sided with the resolution, and day night, and their experience was that of every other person who was in the open. For about twenty minutes, Sussex county experienced noises that came from the earth resembling thunder, but much louder. It shook the earth and was felt all over the county.

side of Lincoln City, and in a most fertile

Those who were in their homes thought bjections to the payment of the rural istricts, while the city districts are tied an earthquake had occurred, Men and omen were panic stricken and in most The resolution was adopted by the following yea and nay vote: Messrs, Ewart, Megginson, Elliott, Armstrong and Willits voted in favor of the resoluevery home prayer was offered. Greens boro Punkum, colored, was badly scared also by the queer neise, as he thought on fire and falling in. Messrs. Chandler and Meale Cattle lowed, and dogs kept a continuous howl, which only added to the uncanny conditions. Excitement ran high at Blackwater, many thinking it an earthquake at first. It was distinctly heard or many miles and old residents declare octor, who is serving time for working it is a token of some misfortune. Fearing second shock people in the vicinity of Trinity remained up all night. People there are unable to specify what it was or were brought into submission only by

the sharp cracking of the pistols of the guards and a threat to turn on a fusilade from the riot gun. The negroes were angry because their leader in a slight An interesting case before the Board of uprising some days ago had been purished. Several shots had to be fire Pardons Tuesday was that of "Pottsville om pistols in order to cow the convicts the Board that, although he had suffered and Guard John Black had his right ment at hard labor for 29 hand dislocated by striking one of th nths, he was not guilty of the crime men on the head, while Guard Frank of which he was convicted. He was sen-Gray was slightly cut about the head. tenced in September, 1899, for complicity Several other officials were roughly in the Bavarian Brewery robbery, in which the night watchmen were bound nd gagged, while the safe was rifled and oney stolen. The Board has been postoning the case of "Pottsville Red," atisfaction several weeks ago over the whose name is Porter, but to-day L. Irving Handy, representing Porter, appeared with new and corroborative evidence food furnished the prisoners. The report of the trustees showed that it was costing a trifle less than eight cents a day to feed which fully established an alibi for the the prisoners. Bread, bean soup with

Former Chief of Police John P. Dolan declared that the evidence under which belief and utterly unreliable.

don of Porter was granted. A handsome young woman in with the Governor on behalf of Porter She did not give her name, but made mpassionate appeal for the prisoner's re-

LIGHTHOUSE MEN IN A GALE Lighthouse Keepers Chase Marshald Frank Saulsbury, of the Delawar Breakwater Light Station, while out Su rnoon in a small rowboat, were struck by a northwest squall and car ble for the men to row their bo keep her head to the wind, as their oars were tossed from the sockets like feather and Mr. Saulsbury, who is a very large man, lay down in the boat to keep it well in the water, and Mr. Marshall guided her before the wind to the shore. It was the fastest ride of their lives, and when dered at the thought of what might have ballast, was picked up and tossed over by the wind like a cork.

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George Whittaker Injured George Whittaker, colored, of Town and, quarreled with another man Tues by afternoon and was badly injured He was cut on various parts of the body and on the head, with a razor. White

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Judge Bradford, sitting in United States Court Monday morning, passed entence upon Henry C. Long, convicted of taking money from registered mail matter, and George Davis, a confessed passer of counterfeit money. Sentence six months, and in the latter four years. Both men will serve their terms at hard abor in the New Jersey State Prison at affected by the judgement of the court.

The men appeared in court several weeks ago for sentence, but owing to the weeks ago for sentence, but only Jersey presence of smallpox in the New Jersey institution at the time, sentence was deferred until Monday. Meanwhile they were imprisoned in the county work-

When Long was called to the stand Monday morning, John Biggs, his attor-ney, said that it was the desire of the prisoner to be committed to the county workhouse, if the court has discretion in the matter. Judge Bradford replied that the court had no discretion, whe sentence was passed. Long must pay the costs of his prosecution, and Davis a fine of \$1,000 and costs. The men will get five days off every month for good behavior. Marshal Short took both prisoners to Trenton Monday afterno

#### TO KEEP OUT DELAWARE GUNNERS

A largely attended meeting of Cecil ing for the purpose of discussing desired asking the gunners of Harford County to join with them in petitioning the Legislature to pass a law requiring all non-resident gunners to pay a license of

\$5 to shoot on the Susquehanna flats. The Cecil County gunners will also ask for a law providing for a license of \$5 per shooting on land. This law is urged to keep Delaware gunners out of Cecil County as gunners from that county can-not shoot game in Delaware unless they

pay a license.

The closed season for game in Cecil county expires several week in advance of that in Delaware, and as a result the county is overrun with gunners from this State and Pennsylvania. It is proposed that the license money received from non-residents be applied to the purchase of birds for the county.

## TO PAY JOHN LYNN'S FINE

Attorney-General Ward in General Sessions Court Monday afternoon announced that all the witnesses summe by the State in the ten remaining cases against John Lynn, former President of the Levy Court, were discharged from any further attendance. This is the first ing the cases off the docket. Levi C. Bird and Walter H. Hayes, counsel Lynn, Monday morning paid to Clerk of the Peace Quigley \$281 to cover the costs incurred by the State in the eleven cases. the \$3,000 fine imposed in the case is to be paid in a few days, when Attorney-General Ward will move to have the ten cases that are pending nolle prosequied

Boggs is Thankful United States Marshal Short and his deputy, James H. Clark, have returned

too large quantities, formed the nourish- Porter was convicted was "unworthy of C. Long and Goograp Davis Federal arise oners. While in the Trenton prison the Delaware officials met William N. Boggs who expressed himself as exceedingly thankful to President Roosevelt for the clemency shown him. Mr. Boggs is enjoying the best of health. The prison uthorities were familiar with Davis, the ounterfeiter, he having been a prisone there several months ago.

> Shorter Hours for Operators!
>
> Joshua Clayton, of Cecil County, last
> week introduced in the Maryland Legislature a bill to compel the railroad com-panies to limit the hours of work for telegraph operators and tower men in twenty-four hours. The purpose of the bill, Mr. Clayton contends, is to reduce the hours of work for the benefit of the men, also that it will insure the safety of passengers, which is endangered by long hours. The bill imposes a fine of \$500

> According to the census bulletin there were 9,376 negroes in the city of Wilmington in 1900, an increase of 2,092 over the figures of 1890. The age population of the city in 1900 was 76,508, an increase of 15,077 over the census figures of ten years previous. The bulletin hows that Salt Lake City has a smaller population of negroes than any city in the Union, the negroes there nun

Killed While Sleighing
Jacob Henderson, the 20-year-old son
of a prominent farmer of near Laurel, was instantly killed Saturday. Young Henderson was driving a pair of spirited horses to a sleigh, when they became frightened and ran away. Henderson was thrown against a tree. His lifeless body was found by his father who went in search of him on the arrival of his

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Don't insure until you consult you friends, then give me an interview .-WM. A. GUM, JR., Agent, Mutual Life of

Unclaimed Letters.-The following list of letters remain unclaimed in the post office for the week ending January 30th:

The New Century Club's program for the afternoon session, the same gentle-man will again speak on "Lessons from next Tuesday afternoon is: "House of Orleans," Miss Adda J. Foard; "Presidency of Louis Napoleon," Mrs. A. M.

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At Bethesda M. E. Church Rev. Dr. Subjects, 10.30 A. M., "Text with One Word." 7.30 P. M.,
"The Mysterious Writing." All are in-

The social and literary committees of sda Epworth League are arr for a George Washington social which Mrs. W. Reese Parker, Mrs. F. H. Lockwill be held in the lecture room of the wood, Mrs. J. L. Shepherd, Mr. J. C. M. E. Church on Friday evening, Feb-Parker, Miss Mary Shallcross, Miss Dora

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The wheat fields have been well protected during the present cold spell by the covering of snow. This is fortunate for the farmers, for wheat is thought to be in very poor condition for the season and a light crop next year is predicted.

The comedy drama "Down on The Farm," will be the attraction at the Middletown Opera House to-night. This company has a first-class band and carry re than 20 people, and have the repu tation of giving a clean up-to-date show.

good character, and a short address by Mr. Bird to the effect that Mr. Rhoades was under \$10,000 bail to answer a civil suit for the same assault, the court fined Mr. Rhoades \$100 and costs. Mr. Rhoades The weather man came along on time with his "cold snap" this week and it sent the mercury below 10. This is not is one of our most progressive farmers and his many friends in this section wil be glad when the unfortunate affair i bad, of course, but in parts of the West and Northwest they were experiencin at the same time temperatures of 25 to 35

Bethesda Epworth League meets in the lecture room of the M. E. Church every Sunday evening at 6.45 o'clock. are those suffering from Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint. More than seventy-five per cent. of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two dis-eases and their effects: such as Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Habitual Cos-tiveness, Palpitation of the Heart, Heart-Everybody is invited to attend. The Pathway to Peace. John 14:25.31: Isa.

The Young Peoples Society of Christian Endeavor of the Forest Presbyterian Church, meets every Sunday evening at 6.45 o'clock. A cordial invitation is burn, Water-brash, Gnawing and Burn ing Pains at the Pit of the Stomach extended to everybody. The topic for to-morrow evening is: "The Pathway to Peace." John 14:25-31; Isa. 25:3. Mrs.

St. Valentine's day occurs February 14th, and already the children are busy preparing all styles of missives that are commonly employed to convey different sentiments on such occasions. Some of the sentimental styles are "just too sweet for anything," while the alleged comic ones are, for the most part, simply horrible. Ice Stope Smyrna River Navigation
Steamer G. F. Brady has been unable
to run the past week owing to ice in the
river. It is the first time this winter
that navigation has been interfered with.
Trips will be resumed as soon as conditions permit.

## NOTICE TO FARMERS .- W. T. & S.

ped to this town, and in the early sprin will purchase a lot and have two moder

Packing houses on the Peninsula

said to be experiencing more difficulty this year than ever before in making

contracts with farmers and some of them are turning their attention to renting

land and growing crops themselves Canners are now offering \$7 per ton but

rowers are slow to make contracts. The

Mr. Earle Griffenburg, formerly a resi

dent of this town, now Chicago, Ill., is gain

ing quite a reputation as an artist. He is now visiting relatives at Summit Bridge.

He has been studying for the past three

Gold Medal from the Paris Exposition

in 1900, and is on the way to a most suc

Brandywine, near Wilmington.

East, made some fine sketches of the

The New Castle County Farmers' In-

Club room on South Broad street to-day

The meetings are free to the public, an

a large attendance is desired. The morn-

ing session will begin at 10 o'clock, and

the afternoon session will begin at 2

Edward Van Alstyne, of New York, will

make an address, his subject being, "Food and Care of a Dairy Herd." At

the Model Dairy Pan-American, 1901.' Mr. Van Alstyne was the commissione

American Exposition, and is a very in

Not for years have the people of this

will be heard again for so long a time.

It has afforded lots of sport for those who

have fast horses, and caused others who "imagined" they had "flyers" to take a

back seat. The young man who was for-tunate enough to own a sleigh had little

trouble in finding one or more lady friends, who were willing to turn out in

all kinds of weather just to have a sleigh

ride, and the less fortunate fellow had to console himself with the thought,

there'll come a time some day.

nany good horses in this section.

DR. AND MRS. STITES ENTERTAIN

nickname of the states. Mrs. W. R.

Parker received the first prize and W. J.

Bickett the second prize in the various

Music and charades were indulged in

\$100 AND COSTS

Mr. George W. B. Rhoades, who was in

dicted last term on the charge of assault-

Good Advice
The most miserable beings in the world

Yellow Skin, Coated Tongue and Dis agreeable Taste in the Mouth, Coming

resting and instructive talker.

hased in the Maryland town.

g erected from the house he pur

W. Preston will be at the National Hotel, Middletown, Del., on Tuesday, February 18th, at 2 o'clock to contract with the Mr. Abram Hayden was in Dover Fri farmers for tomatoes for the coming sea

Mrs. W. R. Parker is visiting b

PERSONALITIES

hia, are visiting Mrs. Samuel Price. Mr. Albert E. Ginn, of Philadelphia spent several days in town this week.

ing, go to the Middletown Opera House to-night. The musical and comedy drama, "Down on the Farm," has been drawing large audiences and pleasing the people. Tickets on sale at Letherbury's on, spent Sunday with friends in town Mr. Thomas A. Smith has purchased dwelling in North East, Md., and last week had Messrs. Z. T. Bradley & Son Mr. Merritt Richards, of Philadelphia go to that place and take the building down. Mr. Smith had the material ship

Miss Daisy Naudain left yesterday for New York city, where she will visi

Mr. Otis Allen, of Wilmington, was an over Sunday visitor with his father or Lake street.

elatives and friends in Philadelphia and

loge, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. De Valinger on Monday. Mr. Martin Richards has accept general impression is that corn will be a more profitable crop next season, there-fore there will not be near as many osition in the Quaker City, and left for

Hospital, Wilmington, where he will have an operation performed on his left years, having taken the Gold Medal in his class of 1899, and again in 1900. He has also received the fourth prize of a hand, which was badly bitten by a hog

ioners Merritt N. Willits, Isaac C. Elliott and Charles Houston, of Millsb essful career as an artist. He has, while on a duck shooting expedition at Chinco teague Island this week. They will re turn home to-day.

#### THE NEW BOOK CLUB

The members of "The New Book Club" have reorganized, and on Monday last entered upon the reading of the books in their third series. The club was organ of Mr. McKendree Downham, at that ime editor and manager of THE TRAN-CRIPT. with Dr. C. A. Ritchie, as Presient, and W. A. Hukill, Jr., Secretary and Treasurer, and fifteen members.

Since its organization the members he club have had the privilege of readng fifty of the latest books by leading n charge of the Model Dairy at the Panauthors at a very nominal cost, and have spent many pleasant evenings socially.

The plan of the club is as follows Each member at the beginning of the nmunity enjoyed sleighing as they series buys one book, reads it, and at the have during the past ten days, and it may be several years before the merry bells expiration of two weeks passes it to the next member on an arranged alphabetical

> the members receive the old books and new ones are bought. The following are the books and authors selected for the third series: .... Mary Hartwell Catherwood

ber whose name immediately preceeds on

said list. This arrangement is continued

until the end of the series, at which time

The Making of a Marchioness, Frances Hodgson Burnett ett ......Charles F. Pidgin erous were the fast steads that it would Cinderella. ....S. R. Crockett The Lily of France,

be doing someone an injustice to name the best horse in the lot, and it is a fact Caroline Atwater Maso that cannot be disputed that we have .....Gilbert Parker Warwick of the Knobs...John Ueri Lloyd The Lions Whelp..... ....Amelia Barr Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Stites entertaine the members of the New Book Club at their home Tuesday evening last. One very interesting feature of the evening's entertainment was a progres-The Puppet Crown ..... Harold MacGrath ..George W. Cable The Ruling Passion......Henry VanDyke D'ri and I The Eternal City...... sive contest of literary questions on au-thors and leading characters in well known books. The idea was a novelty ....Hall Caine

MIDDLETOWN SHOOTING ASSOCIATION Owing to the inclement weather but few sportsmen attended the shoot Thursday. The following are the scores which The menu cards also contained the names of twelve states opposite which the guest were requested to extend the

First event, 25 targets-Beasten, 13; Elsie Smith, 17.

Beasten, 3; Elsie Smith, 4. Third event, 5 targets-Steele, 4; Elsie Smith, 4.

by those present. Among the guests were: Dr. and Mrs. Charles A. Ritchie, The next shoot will be held February joyable visit with friends. 18th, at 2 P. M. Non-members are wel-Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Barnard, Mr. and come to shoot at universal price, 2 cents The Treasurer reported at last meeting Price, Miss Mary Hutchin, Miss Julia having on hand

Lockwood, Miss May Holten, Miss Louise 425 loaded shells. Reynolds, Miss Viola M. McWhorter, Mr. W. J. Bickett, Mr. George F. Wilson, Mr. George L. Townsend, Jr., Mr. William Townsend, Mr. W. A. Hukill, Jr. Actual cost value RECEIPTS. Collected membership fees

Collected signs and printed advertisements and 1000 loaded ing Harry K. Armstromg, was arraigned in Superior Court Tuesday morning and Sold shells. Sold targets shot .

in Superior Court Tuesday morning and pleaded guilty to committing an assault. Attorney-General Ward accepted the plea. Levi C. Bird represented Mr. Rhoades. After hearing the evidence of Mr. Arm-EXPENDITURES After nearing the evidence of Mr. Armstrong, Eben Clark and Dr. Pierson, the
defense closed. Mr. Bird, instead of
making an opening speech, called the rol
of the witnesses for the defense. They

One ear's rent for grounds....
Freight and drayage on Maugatrap...

Trap ....

One Expert trap ....

One Expert trap ..... 30 00 were Richard Perkins, Isaiah Barry, J.
W. Beaston and James H. Brown.
After hearing numerous witnesses,
many of whom testified to Mr. Rhoades' 7600 targets, (delivered). Score platform. nning expenses

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## TOWNSEND NEWS BUDGET

Mrs. James C. Wilson was in Middle J. C. Austin, of New Castle, visited

here on Wednesday. W. P. Wilson has retu

Medford Jones, of Sudiers ille, Md., was a visitor to our town on Monday. Mrs. Lola Townsend has been quite ick at the home of her husband near May Kumple town. She is expected to be out in a short time and her many friends will be Anna Denny, glad to see her.

Leading hunters of Townsend are planning to hold a wolf bag hunt, and it is quite probable that a wolf will be shipped from the West in a very short time.

Lillian Walker, If successful in procuring a wolf the best dogs of several kennels will be selected Joseph Parker, for the chase, and the run is to be to a finish, either the death of the wolf or Miss Mary L. Webb and Mr. Charles

E. Rose were married at No. 1309 West street, Wilmington, on Thursday at 11.30 Mr. William Chance, of Goldey's Col A. M., by the Rev. E. H. Collins, pastor of St. John's M. E. Church, Lewisville, Pa. The bride and groom left for Washington where they will spend a few days. The bride is the daughter of Mr. John Mr. A. M. Brown, of Boston, Mass., is spending a few days with his wife. He oldessa, while the groom is a prominent will return to the Hub city to-day.

Mr. Rain and Mr. Rain groom are well-known and deservedly popular in Townsend also. THE TRANearth and heaven.

Mrs. D. W. Corbit is in Newark. Miss May C. Enos is visiting friends in

Miss Helen P. Cheairs and Mr. S. D. Fownsend were in Odessa Sunday. Miss Frances S. Williams has returned rom an extended visit with friends in

Pennsylvania. The lecture given Wednesday afterno by Mrs. Neal Cole, of Baltimore, was not be by the bad weather very largely

Messrs. H. Rodney Sharpe and George L. Townsend, Jr., attended the dance at Delaware College Friday night and spent Sunday in Newark.

Miss Georgia C. Enos returned Wednesday from a visit with Miss Charlotte B. Younge, of Wilmington. Miss May Enos substituted during her absence.

The severe cold weather of the last week has made sledding one of our leading amusements. Fourth street during the day, and the hill in the rear of the rely sympathize with the young folks of Middletown, and would gladly loan them a hill if we could.

#### ST. GEORGES ITEMS

Miss Nellie Carrow has returned fro Miss Haddie Carrow has returned hom

rom Clayton. Miss Anna Moore was a Delaware City

Miss Elizabeth Riley spent Tuesday with Mrs. Edgar Carrow. Mrs. Edgar Carrow entertained Mis Oliva Paynter on Wednesday.

Miss Mattie Cann, of near Kirkwood s visiting Wilmington friends. Miss Jennie Vail is spending some with friends in Washington, D. C.

Mr. Harry Rickards, of Wilmington spent part of last week with Mr. Willian Mrs. Sallie Cann who has been very il

of rheumatism, is at this writing som what better. Miss Mattie Swain, of Wilmington, St. Georges Hundred

'Clear View." Miss Gertrude Swain spent part of last reek with her sister, Mrs. Samuel Lester. of near Red Lion.

Miss Sarah Milligan has returned home from Washington, D. C., after a very en-

Mr. Howard Milligan, a student of the Wilmington Military Academy, spent last Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Milligan.

## PORT PENN WAVES

Mr. W. H. Hall was in Wilmington or Mr. H. M. Fannen spent Thursday

Mrs. George Webb has returned fr Philadelphia Mr. Samuel Carpenter has been attend

ing court this week Mr. Clesson Yearsley is spending the week in Philadelphia.

Rev. Harry Mitchell has returned hon after spending a week with friends. Go to Kumple's for patent medicines A full line of groceries and dry goods. Many of the fishermen have returned nome on account of the heavy ice in the

89 28 the Rev. J. C. McCoy, of Chesapeake 11 61 City, Md., until after Conference meets. Messrs. Neff & Starr, of Salem, pro prietors of the local cannery, have con-tracted with our farmers for a large acreage of tomatoes for the coming season.

A great many of our people enjoyed the fine sleighing this week. Mr. O. J. Voshell has the fastest double team, and Mr. James F. Moore has the fastest single

DELAWARE CITY NOTES Mrs. O. B. Wingate was in Wilmington

Miss Annie Hemphill spent Wednesday Mrs. John Patterson has returned from

a visit to Philadelphia Miss Lida Aspril, of Wilmington, is Mrs. Hines has returned from a to her sisters in Philadelphia.

Miss Nettie Smith, of Philadelphia, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Hines. Mrs. Moody and Miss Bertha Mood Miss Agnes Vandegrift, of near Mc-Donough, spent Wednesday with friends

Miss Georgia Money, who has been risiting her sister, in Philadelphia, has returned home.

#### ROLLS OF HONOR

The following pupils of the Middleton

Grover Bendler. Gooden Poore. George Allee, Emma Kelley, Maud Deakvne.

Edna Banning. May Buehm, Victor Jones, Viola Downey Helen Rowe, Emily Allee. Howard Burchard DEPAR ENT NO. 3.

Jean Metten Ada Scott, Estelle Beasten. Elsie Boulden. Lola Carroll, Bertha Whitlock Nellie Pyle.

Willie Wright,

Delbert Gallagher.

Lena Weber.

DEPARTMENT NO. 5. Ruby Whitlock, Della Muhlberg, Miriam Berkman, Elsie Byron, Elva Lockerman Viola Weber, Edith Frances, Estelle Johnson, Irene Reed, Rupert Burstan, Charley Smith, Harvey Dillinger, Harry DeValinger, John Hoffecker, Harry Jones, Ray Dickson,

Leah Berkman,

Herbert Pyle,

Russell Reed, Clifton Green, Howard Hutchir LEVELS SCHOOL The following is the report of the Levels School for the month of January Seventh Grade. Price King, 97.7; Fred Ginn, 96.5; Take no Substitute. All Druggist

Hanson King, 96.5 Sixth Grade Anita Lynch, 97.6, Walter Lec, 97.4; Gilbert Lynch, 95.3; Harry Unruh, 95. Fifth Grade.

Samuel King, 95.6; Clifton Mabrey, 94.5; Pierce Donovan, 92; Lloyd Knotts, 90.5. Fourth Grade. Lena King, 99.2; Pearl Guessford, 98.2. Jasper Lynch, 95.2; Oscar Husfelt, 94.6;

George Ginn, 92.9.
Third Grade.
Willie King, 96.3; Fred Alfree, 91.7.

#### CUT WITH KNIVES

quented places, and peals of laughter are heard from both places as the sleds with their cargo of youth go gliding down.

We sincerely sympathize with the control of South and Main streets, by Walter and Isaac Hopkins. The Hopkins heard from the corner of South and Main streets, by Walter and Isaac Hopkins. head, face and neck, severing the temporal artery. Whitcer was taken into Lattomus' drug store, where, after a long time, John Lattomus and the Rev. G. P. Jones succeeded in stopping the flow o blood. Dr. Enos arrived upon the scene at about 5.30 o'clock and took Whitcer t Farnhurst Hospital on the 6 o'clock train or treatment. His condition is critical

The two Hopkins boys were arrested by Constable N. W. Vanhorn and taken before Magistrate Thomas Bratton charged with assault and battery with intent to commit murder. The cutting was done with a one-bladed Barlow knife and a two-bladed horn-handle pen knife All three are colored.

N. W. Vanhorn, constable of Townse N. W. Vanhorn, constable of Townsend, Wednesday morning delivered at the County Court House the men who almost hacked Henry Whitcer, colored, to death with Barlow knives.

Walter Hopkins is 23 years old and a nephew of Isaac, who is 34. Whitcer is about 30 years old.

# NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS

The taxable residents of St. Georges Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the Taxes for the year 1901 are now due, and as the Levy Court has declared that all TAXES must be settled by February 28th, 1902, I ask for a settlement by that time of all unpaid taxes. Please do not fail to attend to this important matter, as I cannot extend the time any longer.

Please read the following Extract of the Law:

"That on all taxes paid before the first day of October there shall be an abatement of five per centum; on all taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum; on all taxes paid during the month of December there shall be no abatement whatever; and on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January next ensuing five per centum thereof shall be added thereto." ensuing five per centum thereof

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College is rehearsing to give an entertain-ment in several towns down the State during Easter week for the benefit of the Athletic Association. 'Just what date they will appear in the Middletown Opera House has not been delivered. but they expect to give a fine entertainment with college songs and jokes. It will open with "A Half-hour with the Minstrels," followed by a number of musical specialties in which the Banjo and Mandolin Club will take active part.

## CURRENT PRICES

MIDDLETOWN GRAIN MARKET. Wheat—No. 1....82 | Corn— No. 2....79 | Yellow, shelled 62 Timothy Seed \$2.50 | "cob..... 65 Clover Seed lb 13c | Oats ...... 50 MIDDLETOWN PRODUCE MARKET. CORRECTED WEEKLY BY W. T. CONNELLER 

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expression. It was a year since he had seen Dolly, and he had hardly expected her to speak to him.

"So you still come here sometimes," he remarked, with forced cheerfulness.

"This is the first time since—"."
Vansittart looked away and reddened.

"I have ordered some of the lobster cutlets we used to like, do you remem-

groomed and prosperous.
"You might have neglected yourself just a trifle, for the sake of appearances," aid, when he turned back to her.

"Why-er-a chap mustn't wear his heart on his sleeve, you know. People would only chaff him." "You do not even wear a speck of dust upon your sleeve," said Dolly, dis-

Von used to like it because

"You have not worried at all, have you?" said Dolly, eyeing him again criti-

you know. I never was the sort of a chap to lie awake nights because things did not go to suit me. I was West all the summer and fall with Griegsby and his party, and the sport was pretty good, fishing immense, and I've got a new bear rug, black, one of the best I've You would like it."

ward, and then you can see it?" said

Vansittart, with all a sportsman's eagerness to display his trophies.

"No, we cannot," severely. "I am surprised that you should suggest such a thing."

"But I did not mean to gard to this matter by the appointment of the Senate, but the superior judgment of the Senate, but the superior judgment of the Republican leaders prevailed.

"The Ways and Means Committee by the appointment of the Senate, but the superior judgment of the Senate, but the

you were abominably cross until the lobster came; sulked over the oysters, and pretended not to care what we had to eat; then you unbent, and now we are going to chat and laugh."

"Ah!" said the man. "Didn't we have good times in those days? Dolly, you ever forget them?" Dolly munched on a piece of celery

and eyed him coldly.
"Of course," she said, crushingly. have forgotten all about them now. I am a very prim and sedate person, who is not even on speaking terms with nsense any more.

her belongings down anywhere.

"Your wife!"

please do not run away with it.

clined her head as she hurried away.

"I wonder if Jack will know his father," said the man, longingly.

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"I am disturbing you. I will go."

Vansittart leaned across the table. "Dolly," he said, "how is Jack?" "Fine, cleverer than ever, and always devoted to me."

"Ah! Then you should be content." think otherwise?"

as gay as they might be with me. One always, and it is a beastly bore hanging around town, with no one to care and

"I know all this is nothing to you, Why, here is her my brown ball of fur. the same, little woman, especially after having known you and realizing what a comfort a woman can be to a chap.'

was all. I thought it would always have to go on as it was. I thought you needed me, too, little woman. How could I s that you would find comfort with

tart, quite gently. "It was your own fault," said Dolly, her face hardening. "You neglected me, and you should have known I was not the woman to stand that sort of thing.' shocked at meeting me in his rooms."

"I have learned my lesson since pretty thoroughly," said Vansittart, quietly. "Do you know what day this is?"
Dolly leaned across the table and chal-

lenge him with her eyes.

He was bewildered. "Why, Satur-

'It is just one year ago since we separated. I have never been here since until now. I got to thinking of the old days this morning, and suddenly resolved to come here all by myself and celeband's admirers."

did not go somewhere with Jack."

was. I remember I used to resent it when you were not in a mood for me, and then I would not go to you, or sughaving any good times for

she wasn't even pretty. Van, old you need me." As they went uptown together she said: "I am so glad we agreed to separate quietly and not get a divorce. Now we shall be saved the bother of getting mar-

sometimes, you were so indifferent to said: "I am so; me and impossible."
"What a mess we made of it," said the man, with regret in his eyes as they rested upon the pretty, trim figure op-

No at all. We are both infinitely appier apart than we could ever have seen together. You are the picture if well-groomed masculine contentment and I have gained ten pounds in weight

take more interest in frocks that which is right and proper." me here often," said Vausittari

#### WASHINGTON LETTER.

THE Philippine revenue bill is still be concerted effort on the Democratic side of the chamber to delay its passage. What the Democrats have to gain by filibuster-ing is not apparent unless they are hoping to embarass Secretary Root and the Philippine Commission, nevertheless that appears to be their policy. So foreign to the question have been the disanywhere that folks will see us; there has been talk enough; but I do not feel a bit like going home yet—to monotony and Jack. At least there was speeches supposed to be germane to the measure that Senator Hoar recently sug-gested that the Senate "consider the life notony and Jack. At least there was never any monotony with you, Van."

"I thought that was because of you. I should think you could stir things up anywhere, Dolly Dot."

"I—I am a model of conventional dispersion of the portion of olitely.

"May I?" with eagerness.

"I do not see what harm it can co; tere is no one here who would see the content of the administration of the administ The rooms were almost directly across The rooms were almost directly across the way. They were warm and cosy, and Dolly fluttered from one well-remembered old treasure to another.

"You've got a better light on that "You've got a

"You've got a better light on that picture of the Hunt than we ever could manage. How well it looks. And oh, just for old times' sake?

"Believe I will," motioning to a waiter.

While the man studied the bill of fare, Dolly studied his face, and felt a distinct sense of disappointment to find that he looked fresh and rosy, well-what a cheerless place! But you've for is expected in the House. Particularly is this assured because the House kept my pictures. Goodness, how many What a cheerless place! But you've kept my pictures. Goodness, how many of them? Surely, I never sat for so many as that. What a conceited person I used to be! But where is the new skin?"

And then came a ring at the door and the sound of a feminine voice.

"Heavens! Who is it! I must not be seen," whispered Dolly, drawing the curtains. "Go out and see what she wants, and do get rid of her soon. I government bill, the subsidy bill and the wants, and do get rid of her soon. I government bill, the subsidy bill and the will never get into such a scrape again."

Cuban reciprocity bill shall be considered in the whole scrape.

will never get into such a scrape again."

"Mrs. Dalzell!" gasped Vansittart, as he went out into his sitting-room, and confronted the pretty, foolish-looking little woman who stood in the middle of the floor, looking awkwardly about her.

Senator Cullom recently delivered a speech setting forth his views in regard to the treaty making powers of the Senate and the Executive in which he are the provinces in the Direct culture of the considered in the order named. claimed that the provisions in the Ding-"You said I should see your rooms ley bill relating to treaties was unconometime, so I came to-day. I am so stitutional because it had a tendency to limit the powers conferred on the Senate by the constitution. An attempt was miserable; he is making me so unhappy. He has taken it into his head to be jealous of you lately."

by the constitution. An attempt was made by Mr. Richardson, the Democratic made by Mr. Richardson, the Democratic by Mr. Richardson, the Democratic made by Mr. Richardson, the Democratic material mater leader in the House, to make trouble be-tween the Senate and the House in reemphasis because he knew Dolly was reveling in every word. "You should not have come here alone. I meant to give you a tea, or something, later on." a committee to investigate the powers of

"But I did not mean anything!" gasped Van. He wished he had never flirted with the silly creature. It had The cutlets were served steaming and appetizingly fragrant.

"Let's make believe," said Dolly, ss are tasted the sauce, "that it is a year ago, and I have just met you here. I was detained at my dressmaker's, and I have just met you here. I was detained at my dressmaker's, and I have just met you here. I was detained at my dressmaker's, and I have just met you here. I was detained at my dressmaker's, and I have just met you here. I was detained at my dressmaker's, and I have just met you here. I was detained at my dressmaker's, and I have just met you here. I was detained at my dressmaker's, and I have just met you here. I was detained at my dressmaker's, and I have just met you here. I was detained at my dressmaker's, and I have just met you here. I was detained at my dressmaker's, and I have just met you here. I was detained at my dressmaker's and the Democratic press has been industriously engaged in an attempt to place the members of the convince in a wrong light before the propose. When asked for an interview on the subject, Chairman Payne handed to your correspondent a statement to press has been industriously engaged in an attempt to place the members of the Committee in a wrong light before the propose. When asked for an interview on the subject, Chairman Payne handed to your correspondent a statement to press has been industriously engaged in an attempt to place the members of the civilized world. Three doses will relieve an attempt to place the members of the civilized world. Three doses will relieve an attempt to place the members of the civilized world. Three doses will relieve an attempt to place the members of the civilized world. Three doses will relieve an attempt to place the members of the civilized world. Three doses will relieve an attempt to place the members of the civilized world. Three doses will relieve an attempt to place the members of the civilized world. Three doses will relieve an attempt to place the members of the civilized world. Three doses will relieve an attempt to place the always glad to see him.

"You did not mean anything!" She stared at him, bewildered. Then she gazed helplessly around the room. Suddenly her face changed, her whole figure stiffened.

"You have another woman here!" she with the says, in part, that the Committee had no thought of disposing of the Cuban question by reporting in favor of the reduction of the war taxes, that the Committee had had no conference on the Cummittee had had no cummittee had had no cummittee had had no cummit "You have another woman here!" she mittee had had no conference on the Cuban matter, and that "the bill to reduce Vansittart's eyes followed her gaze, and there, upon the top of the bookcase, war revenue taxes was taken up because it was the sentiment of the committee was a big, brown muff, Dolly's muff, where she had laid it when she first that the burdens resting upon our own people should be lightened before we turned out attention to lightening the burden of other people." Mr. Payne further assures me that the Cuban matter came in. Dolly was always dropping Van kept his face grave, but he thought that was decidedly the best thing she could do, and followed her to the door. before a decision is reached and that it

A ring of the bell arrested them both. "It is some one to see you. I must not meet them!" she cried, in affright. "You will have to go in here," said Lands gives me the following explanatio Why should you Van, desperately. "The other rooms are at the end of the hall, and Fellowes suggestion made in the President's mes-"Perhaps because things are not always already has the door open." He thrust gay as they might be with me. One her in with Dolly. A man burst through the hall. "My January 3d, 1902, he holds that Congress wife is here!" he screamed, explosively. "Do you mean to deny her presence? Why, here is her muff," seizing the big, "I beg your pardon," came a sweet, silvery voice, and Dolly stepped through the portieres, being careful that they closed behind her. "That is my muff; order of the President, but in these reserves are in controversy "Who is this woman?" glowered the "Tell him who I am," urged Dolly. "This lady is my wife," said Vansitto have had the boundaries substantiall "My husband does not always live here; he finds it a convenience to have rooms downtown. To-night he is coming home with me. I am sorry you are "Dolly!" exclaimed Vansittart, but ask for it. In the territories he can der, and he went out more quietly than any of these preserves on states where partment of the Interior, or of Agriculoman came out, her face crimson, and er eyes frightened.
"I hope you will come and see me ometime. I like to welcome my hus-But the foolish little woman only inviolation of them will be a misdemean At last they were alone.
"Did you mean it?" "Can I really All nets, tackle, guns, etc., used in viola tion of the law in one of these preserve Dolly nodded. There were tears in her eyes, but it was the same flippant voice when she spoke again. "I couldn't see you left here to flirt in preserves. The reason for making with such a fool as that woman, and the transfer to the Department of Agriculture is because that Department can better administer the permanent fores reserves than the Department of the Interior. The traditions and the organiza

which leaves New York and Philadelphia on February 11 by special Pullman train covers a large and intensely interesting great part of Mexico, the beautiful coast journey from California, the Grand Canon of Arizona, one of the great wonders of to the question have been the dis-ions of some of the senators in sches supposed to be germane to the nia. The Mexico and California Special, gested that the Senate "consider the life composed of the highest grade Pullman and character of Mary Queen of Scots." Parlor, Smoking, Dining, Drawing-room, vania Railroad system east of Pittsburg, and \$570 from Pittsburg. For the tour of Mexico only the rate will be \$350, and for Califoania only, which will leave February 25, \$375. For itinerary and full information, apply to ticket agents, or address George W. Boyd, Assistant General

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